

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Congressmen John W. Olver (D-1st District) announced that U.S. House of

The funding will enable the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, in conjunction with the Trust for Public Land

The funding was included in the fiscal year 2008 Interior, Environment Appropriations bill. Olver is a m

"I am very pleased that I was able to secure funding for the Conte Wildlife Refuge," Olver said. "In ligh

"These funds will be used to conserve 82 acres at the Fort River Division in Hadley for the benefit of g

The Silvio O. Conte National Fish and Wildlife Refuge was authorized in 1991 through federal legislati

In recent years, Olver secured \$1.1 million in funding for the Refuge to purchase 140.8 acres of land a

Over the last eight years Olver has secured a total of \$5.05 million for the educational programming a